

Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena - February 2007

<u>Location</u>	<u>Date/Time</u>	<u>Deaths & Injuries</u>	<u>Property & Crop Dmg</u>	<u>Event Type and Details</u>
INDIANA, Northeast				

LA PORTE (IN-Z003), ST. JOSEPH (IN-Z004), ELKHART (IN-Z005)

02/03/07 10:00 EST	0	0	Blizzard
02/03/07 15:41 EST	0	0	

A blast of arctic air moved across the Great Lakes. An upper level system provided the support for widespread snowfall across much of the region. Some locations across far northern Indiana experienced blizzard conditions, especially in outlying areas with some roads being impassable. Bitter windchills of 15 to 30 degrees below zero were also common as winds gusted to near 50 mph at times in some areas.

NOBLE (IN-Z008), DE KALB (IN-Z009), STARKE (IN-Z012), PULASKI (IN-Z013), MARSHALL (IN-Z014), FULTON (IN-Z015), KOSCIUSKO (IN-Z016), WHITLEY (IN-Z017), ALLEN (IN-Z018), WHITE (IN-Z020), CASS (IN-Z022), MIAMI (IN-Z023), WABASH (IN-Z024), HUNTINGTON (IN-Z025), WELLS (IN-Z026), ADAMS (IN-Z027), GRANT (IN-Z032), BLACKFORD (IN-Z033), JAY (IN-Z034)

02/13/07 02:00 EST	0	0	Blizzard
02/14/07 03:52 EST	0	0	

LA PORTE (IN-Z003), ST. JOSEPH (IN-Z004), ELKHART (IN-Z005), LAGRANGE (IN-Z006), STEUBEN (IN-Z007)

02/13/07 03:00 EST	0	0	Winter Storm
02/14/07 03:52 EST	0	0	

A powerful winter storm blanketed all of northern Indiana with heavy snow and strong winds. This caused widespread whiteout conditions across the area with many roads becoming impassable due to drifting snowfall. Numerous schools and businesses were closed on Valentines day as a result of the dangerous weather. The blowing and drifting was so widespread, that many counties pulled the snow plows from the roads and declared travel restrictions to all but emergency vehicles. Two weather related deaths were reported, one in Ashley in Steuben county and the other in Springville in Laporte county. Both deaths were traffic accident related. Accumulations ranged from 6 inches across the far north, to 17 inches from White county towards Grant county.

LA PORTE (IN-Z003), ST. JOSEPH (IN-Z004), ELKHART (IN-Z005), LAGRANGE (IN-Z006), NOBLE (IN-Z008), DE KALB (IN-Z009), STARKE (IN-Z012), PULASKI (IN-Z013), MARSHALL (IN-Z014), FULTON (IN-Z015), KOSCIUSKO (IN-Z016), WHITLEY (IN-Z017), ALLEN (IN-Z018), WHITE (IN-Z020), CASS (IN-Z022), MIAMI (IN-Z023), WABASH (IN-Z024), HUNTINGTON (IN-Z025), WELLS (IN-Z026), ADAMS (IN-Z027), GRANT (IN-Z032), BLACKFORD (IN-Z033), JAY (IN-Z034)

02/24/07 16:30 EST	0	0.60M	Ice Storm
02/25/07 05:11 EST	0	0	

A late February storm system brought widespread precipitation in the form of mainly freezing rain. Several locations did see periods of sleet during the event, however the ice accumulations posed the greatest threat. Reports of around one quarter inch of ice along with a few tenths of an inch of sleet was reported across parts of northern Indiana. 10 to 20 mph winds caused additional problems with fallen tree limbs and power lines, causing road closures and power outages. Temperatures rose above freezing during the overnight hours keeping overall damage to a minimum.

MICHIGAN, Extreme Southwest

BERRIEN (MI-Z077), CASS (MI-Z078)

02/03/07 10:00 EST	0	0	Blizzard
02/03/07 15:41 EST	0	0	

A blast of arctic air moved across the Great Lakes. An upper level system provided the support for widespread snowfall across much of the region. Some locations across far southwestern Lower Michigan experienced blizzard conditions, especially in outlying areas with some roads being impassable. Bitter windchills of 15 to 30 degrees below zero were also common as winds gusted to near 50 mph at times in some areas.

BERRIEN (MI-Z077), CASS (MI-Z078), ST. JOSEPH (MI-Z079), BRANCH (MI-Z080), HILLSDALE (MI-Z081)

02/13/07 03:00 EST	0	0	Winter Storm
02/14/07 03:46 EST	0	0	

A powerful winter storm blanketed far southern Lower Michigan with heavy snow and strong winds. This caused widespread whiteout conditions across the area with many roads becoming impassable due to drifting snowfall. Numerous schools and businesses were closed on Valentines day as a result of the dangerous weather. The blowing and drifting was so widespread, that many counties pulled the snow plows from the roads and declared travel restrictions to all but emergency vehicles. 6 to as much as 9 inches fell across the area.

BERRIEN (MI-Z077), CASS (MI-Z078), ST. JOSEPH (MI-Z079)

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BERRIEN (MI-Z077), CASS (MI-Z078), ST. JOSEPH (MI-Z079)				
	02/24/07 21:00 EST	0	90K	Ice Storm
	02/25/07 05:12 EST	0	0	

A late February storm system brought widespread precipitation in the form of mainly freezing rain. Several locations did see periods of sleet during the event, however the ice accumulations posed the greatest threat. Reports of around one quarter inch of ice along with a few tenths of an inch of sleet was reported across parts of far southwestern Lower Michigan. 10 to 20 mph winds caused additional problems with fallen tree limbs and power lines, causing road closures and power outages. Temperatures rose above freezing during the overnight hours keeping overall damage to a minimum.

OHIO, Northwest

DEFIANCE (OH-Z004), HENRY (OH-Z005), PAULDING (OH-Z015), PUTNAM (OH-Z016), VAN WERT (OH-Z024), ALLEN (OH-Z025)				
	02/13/07 03:00 EST	0	0	Blizzard
	02/14/07 03:52 EST	0	0	
WILLIAMS (OH-Z001), FULTON (OH-Z002)				
	02/13/07 04:00 EST	0	0	Winter Storm
	02/14/07 03:42 EST	0	0	

A powerful winter storm blanketed northwest Ohio with heavy snow and strong winds. This caused widespread whiteout conditions across the area with many roads becoming impassable due to drifting snowfall. Numerous schools and businesses were closed on Valentines day as a result of the dangerous weather. The blowing and drifting was so widespread, that many counties pulled the snow plows from the roads and declared travel restrictions to all but emergency vehicles. Accumulations from 6 inches north to around a foot in Van Wert and Allen counties

DEFIANCE (OH-Z004), HENRY (OH-Z005), PAULDING (OH-Z015), PUTNAM (OH-Z016), VAN WERT (OH-Z024), ALLEN (OH-Z025)				
	02/24/07 19:00 EST	0	0.15M	Ice Storm
	02/25/07 05:11 EST	0	0	

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